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Applicants:	David M. KURN et al.	Confirmation No.:	8320
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For:	Method And Apparatus For Cryptographic Key Rollover During Operation	Docket No.:	200301973-1

**RESPONSE TO FINAL OFFICE
ACTION DATED SEPTEMBER 26, 2005**

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AMENDMENT

In response to the final Office action of September 26, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 7 of this paper.

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